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App. No: 09/929,427

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: )  
 John M. Danskin et al. ) Art Unit: 2625  
 Application No. 09/929,427 ) Examiner: Bayat, Ali  
 Filed: 08/13/2001 ) Dckt.: NVIDP044/P000245  
 For: MULTI-MODE TEXTURE ) Date: 12/22/2004  
 COMPRESSION ALGORITHM )  
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	<u>SMALL ENTITY RATE FEE</u>	OR	<u>LARGE ENTITY RATE FEE</u>
TOTAL CLAIMS	26 -	22	.04	X25 = \$	OR	X50 = \$200
INDEP CLAIMS	13 -	09	.04	X100 = \$	OR	X200 = \$800
[ ] Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid				\$0		\$0
			TOTAL	\$_____		\$1,000.00



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 Applicant(s) believe that no Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-1351.  
  
 Enclosed is our Check No. in the amount of \$ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.  
 If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response,  
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Respectfully submitted,  
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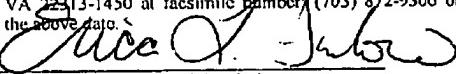
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